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REGISTRATION APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR USE IN COMPUTER-ASSISTED SURGICAL NAVIGATION

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please replace the informal drawings with the nineteen (19) sheets of formal drawings filed herewith (Figures 1, 1A, 2, 2A-2E, 3, 3A-3C, 4, 4A-4F, 5, 6, 7, 7A, and 8-13). If the formal drawings for any reason are not in full compliance with the pertinent statutes and regulations, please so advise the undersigned.

If any fees are necessary for the submission of these formal drawings, please charge our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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